SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 467

By Herron

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Elizabeth Myers, 2007 Salutatorian of Stewart County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Elizabeth Myers is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2007 graduating class at Stewart County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Myers has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Elizabeth Myers has earned an exemplary 4.33 grade point average while participating in a variety of extracurricular activities, including serving as Yearbook Editor, Class Officer, and member of Business Professionals of America (BPA), Family, Community and Career Leaders of America, and the Beta Club; she has served as a Girl Scout since 1995 and received the Girl Scout Gold Award in 2006; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades, Elizabeth Myers placed first in both the 2007 BPA State Interview Skills and Presentation Management Team categories; she received the Stewart County DAR Award, attended the 2007 Youth and Government Seminar, was elected BPA State President, and earned the 2006 BPA Ambassador Torch Awards and Statesman Torch Awards; and

WHEREAS, she lends her time and talents to her community by serving as a member of the ALS awareness committee and performing concerts to raise money for Student Council and the Beta Club; and WHEREAS, Ms. Myers is an active and devout member of her church, where she has participated in its youth mission services group, Saints Alive! since 2003; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Myers's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Elizabeth's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Jim and Nancy Myers, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Myers's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2007 Stewart County High School Salutatorian, Elizabeth Myers, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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